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- 1. VATICAN'S DEPUTY FORMIN HAS INFORMED US THAT VATICAN DELEGATION HEADED BY ARCHBISHOP LUIGI POGGI, DEPARTED ROME MARCH 1 FOR BUDAPEST.
- 2. PURPOSE OF TRIP IS TO DISCUSS FURTHER NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS, INCLUDING AGREEMENT ON NEW AUXILIARY BISHOPS. ULTIMATE OBJECTIVE OF THESE DISCUSSIONS IS ESTABLISHMENT OF NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS THROUGH SIGNING OF GOH-VATICAN PROTOCOL. WHILE VATICAN APPEARS OPTIMISTIC THAT THIS OBJECTIVE WILL EVENTUALLY MATERIALIZE, SO FAR THE ACTUAL PROCESS OF CONSIDERATION OF SPECIFIC ELEMENTS OF PROTOCOL HAS NOT STARTED. BEAUDRY

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